

# EMC News

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Coordinator's Report

Below is a status of all EMC positions for 2002:

<u>V.Trumansburg</u> – BORs has Margaret Burlew's application / needs resolution from the Village

T.Enfield – Darrel Clark – approved thru 2002

V.Cayuga Heights – Jeff Cox – approved thru 2002

<u>T.Newfield</u> – Donna Jean Darling (need 2002 application) / town has passed resolution

<u>V.Lansing</u> – John Dennis – approved thru 2002

T.Dryden – Joyce Gerbasi – approved thru 2003

V.Freeville – Bruce Johnson – approved thru 2002

<u>T.Ithaca</u> – Bill Lesser – approved thru 2002

T.Ulysses – Heather McDaniel – approved thru 2003

<u>T.Caroline</u> – Steve Nicholson – approved thru 2003

T.Danby – Robert Roe – approved thru 2003

T.Lansing – Larry Sharpsteen – approved thru 2002

<u>T.Groton</u> – Tony Zarachowicz (need 2002 application) / need resolution from Town

C.Ithaca – vacant

V.Dryden - vacant

V.Groton - vacant

At-Large members:

Robert Ascher (approved), Susan Brock (approved – also approved as EMC chair), Kenneth Christianson (approved), Barbara Ebert (approved), Karen Edelstein (approved), Herb Engman (approved), Carolyn Shapiro (approved), Steve Uzmann (approved), Roger Yonkin (approved) – 9 of the 12 At-Large positions are filled.

## Associate Members:

Walter Buble (approved), Gay Nicholson (pending), Nancy Ostman (pending), Susan Kerns Robinson (approved), Hans van Binsbergen (approved), David Weinstein (approved), Dooley Kiefer (pending).

#### Current sign-ups for 2002 Committees:

Environmental Review: Steve Uzmann (chair), Carolyn Shapiro, Joyce Gerbasi, Heather McDaniel, Larry Sharpsteen, Tony Zarachowicz, Herb Engman, Dooley Kiefer, Barbara Ebert, John Dennis, Robert Roe, Walter Buble

<u>Education</u>: Stephen Nicholson (co-chair), Karen Edelstein (co-chair), Kenny Christianson, Robert Ascher, Donna Jean Darling, Jeff Cox, Roger Yonkin, Nancy Ostman, David Weinstein

<u>Public Safety Communication System</u>: Susan Brock (chair), Herb Engman (if needed), Barbara Ebert (if needed)

Pesticide Neighbor Notification: Stephen Nicholson (chair), Joyce Gerbasi, Jeff Cox

<u>Energy</u>: Kenny Christianson (chair), Dooley Kiefer, Stephen Nicholson, Jeff Cox

Submitted by Tom Mank

# Don't Forget!

February 13, 2002 - EMC Meeting

### Pesticide Neighbor Notification Committee

We have invited a representative from NYPIRG (Public Interest Research Group), Jason Brown, to attend our next EMC meeting and discuss the Neighbor Notification Law. We are sending an email to all members that includes Links to three articles which provide some background information and different perspectives concerning the pesticide issue. Please do your homework and read them. The Tompkins County BOR's are expecting the EMC to provide an informed decision concerning opting-in to this new law.

Submitted by Steve Nicholson

#### **Education Committee**

The EMC's Adopt -a- Highway 2 mile long stretch will be on Route 13. It starts near Sand Creek Rd, and goes south to the intersection with Rt.96/34. This section goes next to 3 UNA's, within 1/4 mile of 5 other UNA's, past 2 State Parks, and the Ithaca Beer Brewery. So it should be rewarding and fun to maintain. The NYS Highway Department will provide all equipment and training announcements.

Submitted by Steve Nicholson

No Reports Submitted

Chair's Report

**Executive Committee Report** 

Public Safety Communication System Committee Report Environmental Review Committee Report

Energy Committee Report